

## Teaching Programs in Washington State

Universities and Colleges	BA Programs*	Post-BA Certification Only*	MA Programs*	Elementary Ed*	Secondary Ed*
Antioch University (206) 268-4206 <a href="http://www.antiochsea.edu/academics/education/">http://www.antiochsea.edu/academics/education/</a>	X Elem Ed Only	X	X	X	X
Central Washington University (CWU-Ellensburg) (509) 963-2661 <a href="http://www.cwu.edu/~education/">http://www.cwu.edu/~education/</a>	X	X	X	X	X
CWU-Lynnwood (425) 640-1574 x 3877 <a href="http://www.cwu.edu/lynnwood/">http://www.cwu.edu/lynnwood/</a>	X TESL	X Secondary Math		X TESL	X Secondary Math
CWU-Des Moines (206) 439-3800 x3824 <a href="http://www.cwu.edu/desmoines/">http://www.cwu.edu/desmoines/</a>	X		X	X Early Childhood	
CWU-Green River Community College/Kent Station (206) 439-3800 x3822 <a href="http://www.cwu.edu/centers/index.html">http://www.cwu.edu/centers/index.html</a>	X Mid-level Science			X Mid-level Science	
CWU-Pierce County/Pierce Community College (253) 912-3632 <a href="http://www.cwu.edu/centers/index.html">http://www.cwu.edu/centers/index.html</a>	X Reading			X Reading	
City University 1-800-426-5596 <a href="http://www.cityu.edu/programs/soe/index.htm">http://www.cityu.edu/programs/soe/index.htm</a>	X		X	X	X
Eastern Washington University (509) 359-2232 <a href="http://www.ewu.edu/x3359.xml">http://www.ewu.edu/x3359.xml</a>	X	X	X	X	X
The Evergreen State College (360) 867-6559 <a href="http://www.evergreen.edu/mit/">http://www.evergreen.edu/mit/</a>			X	X	X
Pacific Lutheran University (253) 535-7272 <a href="http://www.plu.edu/external/majors/schoolofeducation.html">http://www.plu.edu/external/majors/schoolofeducation.html</a>	X	X	X	X	X
Seattle Pacific University (206) 281-2091 <a href="http://www.spu.edu/depts/soe/">http://www.spu.edu/depts/soe/</a>	X	X	X	X	X
Seattle University (206) 296-5759 <a href="http://www.seattleu.edu/coe/">http://www.seattleu.edu/coe/</a>			X	X	X
University of Puget Sound 253-879-3377 <a href="http://www.ups.edu/x4427.xml">http://www.ups.edu/x4427.xml</a>			X	X	X

\*Additional programs and definitions on back

University of Washington (UW) <i>Bothell</i> (425) 352-5274 <a href="http://www.bothell.washington.edu/education/">http://www.bothell.washington.edu/education/</a>		X	X	X	X
UW— <i>Seattle</i> (206) 543-7834 <a href="http://depts.washington.edu/coe/">http://depts.washington.edu/coe/</a>			X	X	X
UW— <i>Tacoma</i> (253) 692-4430 <a href="http://www.tacoma.washington.edu/education/">http://www.tacoma.washington.edu/education/</a>		X	X	X	X Science Only
Washington State University (509) 335-4855 <a href="http://futurestudents.wsu.edu/academics/fos/study.asp?ID=EDUC">http://futurestudents.wsu.edu/academics/fos/study.asp?ID=EDUC</a>	X	X	X	X	X
Western Washington University (360) 650-3319 <a href="http://www.wce.wvu.edu/">http://www.wce.wvu.edu/</a>	X	X	X	X	X
WWU— <i>NSCC</i> (206) 527-3718 <a href="http://www.northseattle.edu/options/wwu.htm">http://www.northseattle.edu/options/wwu.htm</a>	X		X	X	X Masters Only

### DEFINITIONS

**BA Programs** (Bachelor of Arts): Teaching programs that offer a teaching certification and the Bachelors degree at the same time. In many cases, these degrees can be completed in 4 years (2 years after completing an AA). Students will earn a BA in Education or an education-related major.

**Post-BA Programs:** Programs that begin after a student has completed a Bachelors degree. Usually, a post-BA certification program will last about 1 year.

**MA Programs** (Masters in Teaching or Masters in Education): Programs that begin after a student has completed a Bachelors degree and usually take 1-2 years. A Masters degree in Teaching (MIT) offers both a Masters degree and a teaching certification at the same time. Not all schools that offer Masters programs offer the MIT degree. Contact the individual institution to confirm the availability of your desired program.

An advantage of longer programs, such as the Post-BA programs or the Masters degree programs, is that graduates may receive a higher level of pay based on their higher level of education.

**Elementary Education:** As part of one of the above options, students will need to choose which student age/grade levels they want to teach. Elementary Education typically includes Kindergarten through 8<sup>th</sup> grade, though some institutions, such as UW-Bothell, include on kindergarten through 6<sup>th</sup> grade.

**Secondary Education:** Provides certification to teach in high schools and middle schools. Secondary Education will usually require a specific endorsement, such as Mathematics, English or Social Studies.

#### **\*Note\***

Teaching programs vary from institution to institution. For more details, contact a representative at the institution in which you are interested. For further information regarding teaching programs in Washington state, please visit [www.teachwashington.org](http://www.teachwashington.org)